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Assessors and treasurers might take notice that our supreme court has recently decided that the county assessors have not been entitled to any commission upon the liquor and gaming licenses since the enactment of chapter 108, of the Session Laws of 1901, and that the Treasurers have not been entitled to any commission upon such licenses until since the passage of of Chapter 60, of 1905.

The opinion was handed down in the cases of Sandoval and Hubbell, respectively Assessor and Treasurer of Bernalillo county, vs. the Board of County Commissioners; and is one of the most important constructions of the statutes we have noticed in a long while; and may result in a demand upon the above named county officers to put the people back into the possession of their own.

Joint Statehood

Is thoroughly endorsed by this paper. We have heard the expression "Organic Act" until we are sore, and sick and we would like that its utterance cease; and hear in its place, the expression, "The Constitution". The organic act is tattered and torn, and threadbare and worn by the efforts of our people to fully comprehend and give a proper construction to its recitals. To live under organic act is an republic, un-democratic and un-American. Constitution carries with it a suggestion of freedom and equality, while Organic act carries the idea of half a government, and carries such idea too, to the citizenship of a country that boasts of "A government of the people, for the people and by the people". Constitution means that the people shall govern. Organic act signifies that the people shall be governed. Constitution means freedom. Organic act signifies a condition of vassalage. With our constitution adopted, we will receive 2560 acres of land out of each township in the STATE, aggregating a little less than 10,000,000 acres. With Organic act we have a little less than 9000, and if we fail to vote the old condition away, we will have 0000 for a very long time to come. Organic Act is a very old man, feeble, senile, and with nothing of value to offer us, that is, nothing that American citizens prize. Constitution is a youth, strong, clean-limbed, and wholesome, and he comes to us bearing good gifts. He brings us education, prosperity and an independent citizenship, together with an apology for his lethargy in allowing us to have remained for half a century under the pernicious ban of Old Organic Act.

Let us come together on the 6th of November, in this year of grace, and make the date go down into the history of our state as the funeral occasion of Old Organic Act; and let our ballots containing the words "For Joint Statehood," become his winding sheet. Upon the invitation of the ENTERPRISE, your vote is solicited to "Oskelize" Old Organic Act.

The 4th in Clayton.

Was a Pronounced Success and Gives Undeniable Proof of the Get-up-and-getness of Our Citizens.

The one hundred and thirtieth anniversary of our Nations Natal Day was celebrated in Clayton with great enthusiasm by the citizens of Clayton and the hundreds of people from the neighboring towns and country who came to celebrate with us. Each incoming train from Saturday on brought a goodly lot of patriotic citizens and the highways were crowded with vehicles all headed for Clayton and filled with men women and children anxious to pay homage to their loved country and enjoy the red lemonade, peanuts and other good things prepared for them by the people of Clayton.

The morning of the Fourth dawned fair and bright with scarcely a breeze to disturb the decorations or misplace the coiffure of the ladies and just enough cloud to temper the sun's rays. Five thousand expectant people gathered on the streets to witness the first event of the day—the parade, which soon came into view headed by the famous Clayton Band dispensing national airs, next came the fair Goddess of our Country's Liberty with her many subjects at her feet singing songs of praise, this float was followed by the "Clayton Enterprise," "The White Swan," "The First Americans," "The Guardian Angels," "The Lone Star of Texas," "Titania, Queen of the Fairies," "Cupid," "The Cow Boys," "Red White and Blue Tandem," Comical Rig, Mr and Mrs. Eklund, Pink and white, Mrs. Whently, "Twilight," Comical rig, Howell Ervien. The floats were beautiful and reflected great credit on the committee which had them in charge. "The White Swan" won the prize for the best decorated single rig. "The Clayton Enterprise" best decorated double rig. Mr. and Mrs. Eklund, the most comical rig. Mr. Mays, the most comical individual.

The next feature of the day was the ball game between Folsom and Clayton. Both sides put up a pretty play and at the close of the game the score stood:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total
Clayton	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	3
Folsom	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1

After the game hundreds of people partook of the barbecue dinner while others dined at their homes and the various hotels and restaurants of the city.

The races were called at two o'clock with the grand stand filled to overflowing and as many more scattered about the grounds and in the carriages. The first day's races resulted as follows:

300 yard dash, Will Kerr, of Folsom, 1; M. Grippe, of Kenton, 2; Thompson, of Trinidad, 3. Time 16 1/2 seconds.

3-8 mile dash, Thompson, of Trinidad, 1; Slack, of Clayton, 2; Clarkson, of Oklahoma, 3. Time 38 seconds.

Gallo race—won by A. B. Howard.

The ball in the evening was a great success and, despite the immense crowd, was enjoyed hugely.

The greater portion of the crowd remained for the second day and enjoyed the second game between Folsom and Clayton which resulted in a victory for the Folsom team the score by innings was:

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total
Clayton	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	4
Folsom	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	4	6

The races on the Fifth resulted as follows:

1-2 mile dash, Thompson, of Trinidad, 1; Clarkson, of Oklahoma, 2; May, of May Ranch, 3. Time 32 3/5.

Saddle horse race, mile dash, Wagner of Clayton, 1; Dennis, of Kenton, 2; Detamore, of Clayton, 3. Time 2 minutes.

One-fourth mile—Will Kerr, of Folsom, 1; Grippe, of Kenton; and Jones of T X T ranch 2. Time 23 4/5 seconds.

Boy pony race—Lute Allen, of Kenton, 1; Alvin Alford, of Clayton, 2; Loyd Miller, of Clayton, 3. Time 28.

Three, eight consolation race—Thompson, of Trinidad, 1; Will May, of Corrampa, 2; John Hill, of Clayton, 3. Time, 40.

Tournament—North Bluffs, 1; Ernest Thompson, 2; Turbeville, 3. 7 rings out of 12.

Among the many visitors in our town on the Fourth and Fifth we noted from

FOLSOM.

Mesdames, Gaylord, Dally, Rhodes, Summers, Shanks, Ferguson, the Misses Mable and Elorance Record, Bird and May James, Ethel Guyer, and Messers, Will Kerr, Clarence Summers, "Dusty" Rhodes, Charley Drew, Charley Red, Light James, Henry Hood, Will Hinson, Martinez.

KENTON.

Claude, Will, Cale and Jim Giles, Jim Wiggins, Geo. Hubbard, John and Dick Thorp, H. Blanchard, A. McKenzie and wife, Bud Davis and wife, Rube Earnest, M. B. Gripe and brother, Will Davis, Fred Lord, Les Jones and wife and Zeno Labriere.

From Beaver County, McCollom, Will May, John Jones, Coke Roberts, W. H. Durrett accompanying several ladies.

John Mohr of Veda.

W. B. Plunkett and family, W. S. Potter and family, of the Corrampa.

The above is only an attempt at giving a partial list of the visitors to our city, as there was a larger per cent from Trinidad, Amarillo, Dalhart, Stratford, Telford, Raton, and Las Vegas, and in fact they were all here. Just to give a little idea of how things were crowded W. H. Durrett, of Bertrand, Oklahoma, offered one dollar for a bale of hay to sleep on.

Come and See Us We Have.

Stoves and Ranges at prices that will sure fit.
Sewing Machines that are fully guaranteed and at prices that you don't have to have a pole to reach.
Paints for House or Buggies, the kind we always have had you know it is good.
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Condensed Report of The First National Bank of Clayton, N. M.

As rendered to the Comptroller of Currency.
At the close of business June 18, 1906

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$192,429.27
Overdrafts	339.61
U. S. Bonds	68,400.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,375.82
Cash and Sight Exchange	49,954.82
	\$313,499.52
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$75,000.00
Circulation	50,000.00
Deposits	177,708.38
Other Liabilities—Including Surplus and Profits	10,791.24
	\$313,499.62

The above statement is correct to the best of my knowledge.
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